## REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The claims have been amended to point out a preferred embodiment recognized by the Examiner as effective in treating elements of the human environment for acarids. See page 3, top, of the Official Action. Support for this amendment is found at specification page 2, lines 16-21 and in Claim 14. See also the paragraph bridging pages 2 and 3 of the specification. Support for new Claims 21-23 is found at specification page 1, lines 9-10. No new matter has been entered.

Because the claims have been limited to a method that is fully described and enabled by the specification, and free of the art, Applicants submit that this case is in condition for allowance, and early notification to this effect is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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